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Sir:

This is in response to the Election of Species Requirement mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 12, 2007. Inasmuch as the one-month shortened statutory period for reply is set in the Office Action to expire on August 13, 2007 (August 12, 2007 being a Sunday), this response is being filed by the initial due date for response. However, if any extension of time is necessary, this is an express request for any necessary extension of time and authorization to charge any required extension of time fee or any other fees which may be required to preserve the pendency of the present application to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.